



CHAPTER 7B
ARTICLE 22 - PROBABLE CAUSE HEARING AND TRANSFER HEARING

N.C.G.S. § 7B-2202.5.

Indictment return appearance.

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§ 7B-2202.5(a)

CLASS A FELONY

The prosecutor must immediately notify the court if a true bill of indictment is returned for an offense (i) that constitutes a Class A felony if committed by an adult that was allegedly committed when the juvenile was at least 13 years of age but less than 16 years of age or (ii) that constitutes a Class F or G felony if committed by an adult that was allegedly committed when the juvenile was at least 16 years of age but less than 18 years of age.

§ 7B-2202.5(b)

The court shall calendar the matter for an appearance within five business days of the date the true bill of indictment was returned. At the appearance, the court shall determine only if notice of a true bill of indictment charging the commission of an offense identified in subsection (a) of this section was provided in accordance with G.S. 15A-630. If the court finds that such notice was provided, the court shall (i) transfer jurisdiction over the juvenile to superior court for trial as in the case of adults and (ii) determine conditions of pretrial release, as required by G.S. 7B-2204. (2024-17, s. 2(f).)

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APPARATUS II
2 AUTHORITIES

Authorities referenced

Every G.S. cross-reference appearing in the text of this section, in order of first appearance. Nothing is characterized; the operative language is quoted from the section itself.

REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
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G.S. 15A-630	(b)	"section was provided in accordance with"
G.S. 7B-2204	(b)	"of pretrial release, as required by"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 7B-2202.5 (2026).

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N.C. Gen. Stat. § 7B-2202.5(a) (2026).

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